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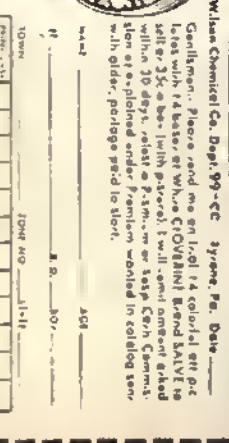
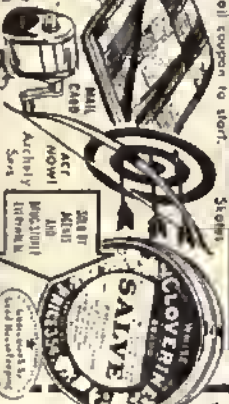
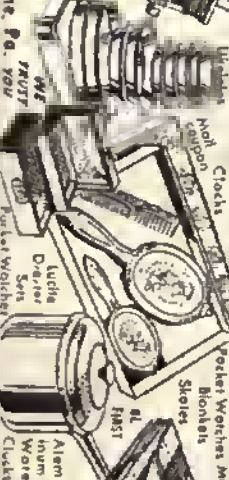
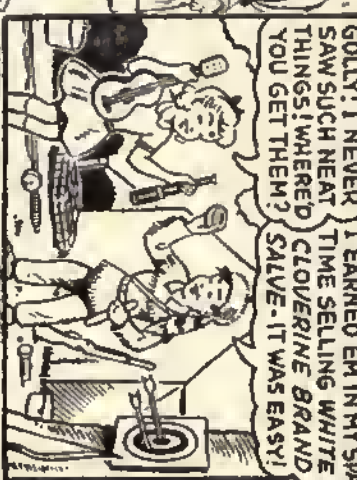
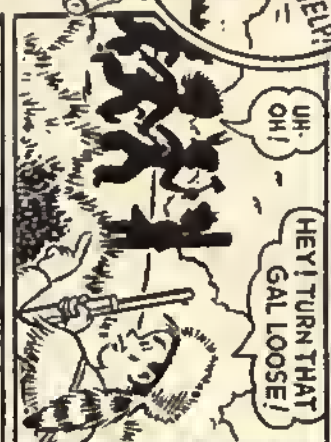


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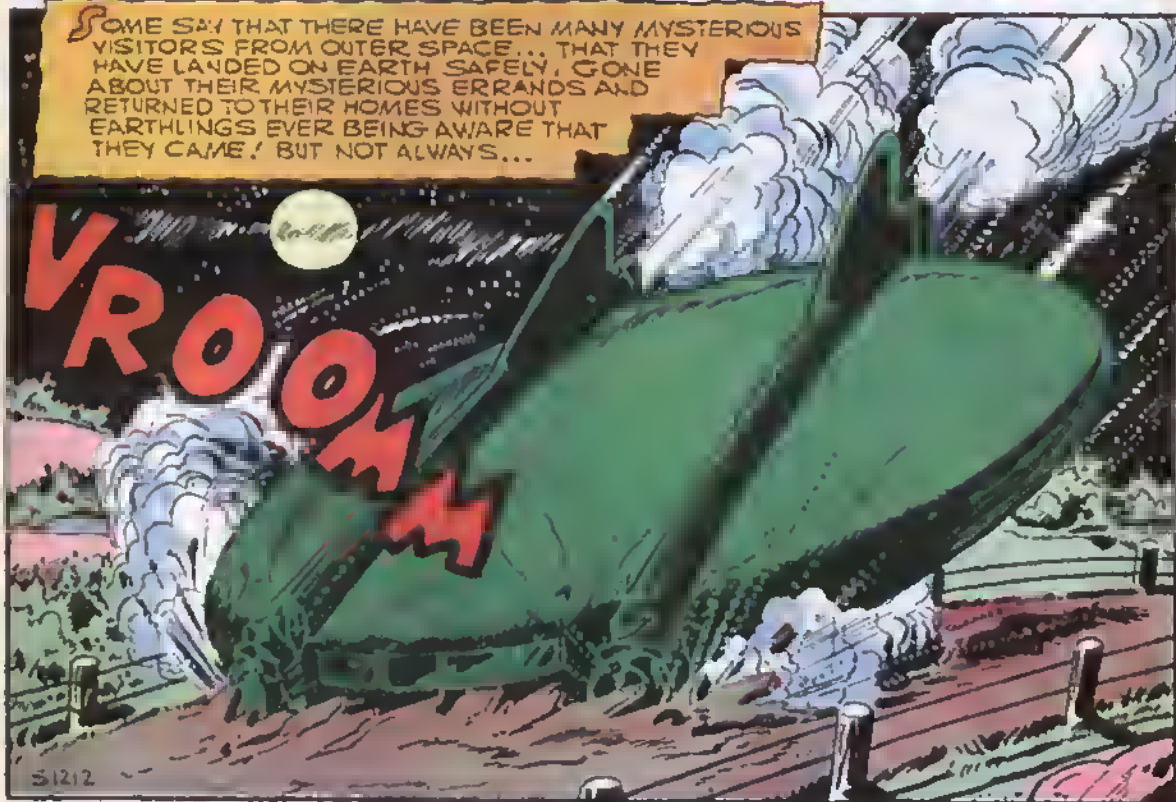
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## DARK SIDE OF THE MOON

SOME SAY THAT THERE HAVE BEEN MANY MYSTERIOUS VISITORS FROM OUTER SPACE... THAT THEY HAVE LANDED ON EARTH SAFELY, GONE ABOUT THEIR MYSTERIOUS ERRANDS AND RETURNED TO THEIR HOMES WITHOUT EARTHLINGS EVER BEING AWARE THAT THEY CAME! BUT NOT ALWAYS...



THAT NIGHT, A FEW MILES AWAY ...

I PULLED THAT ONE OFF! THEY'LL NEVER GET ME IN JAIL AGAIN!



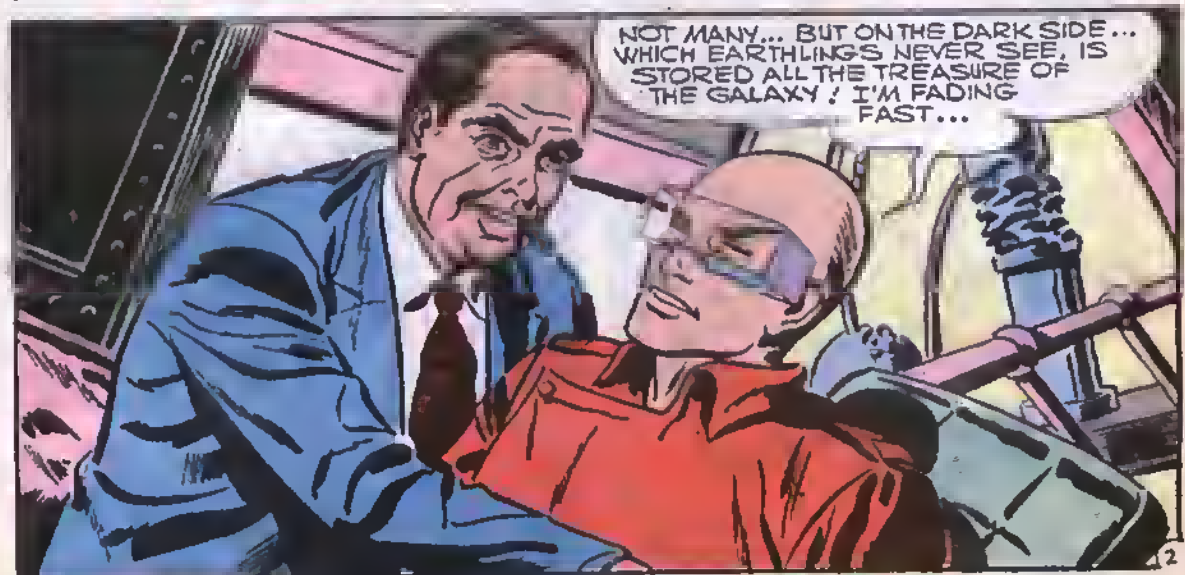
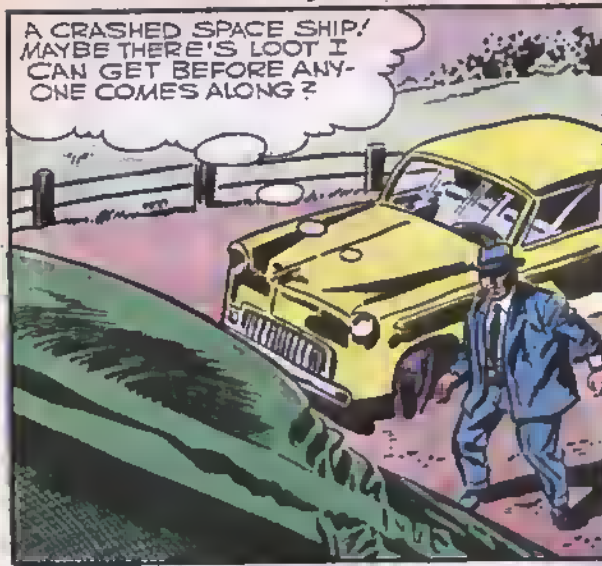
SUDDENLY...

...JACK FRY IS JUST TOO SMART TO BE CAUGHT... HEY... WHAT'S THAT?!

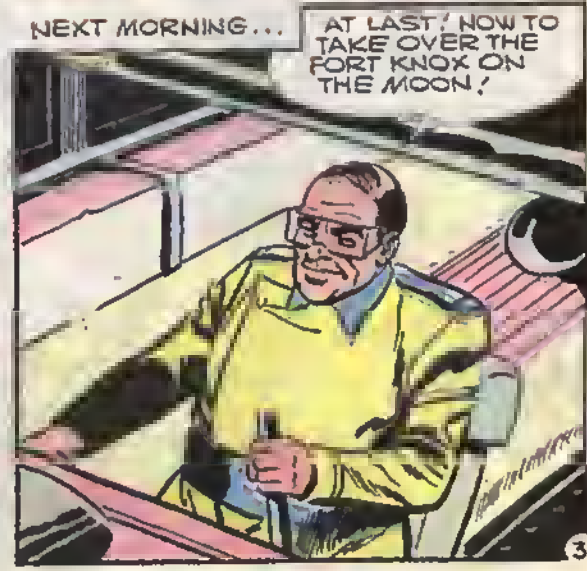
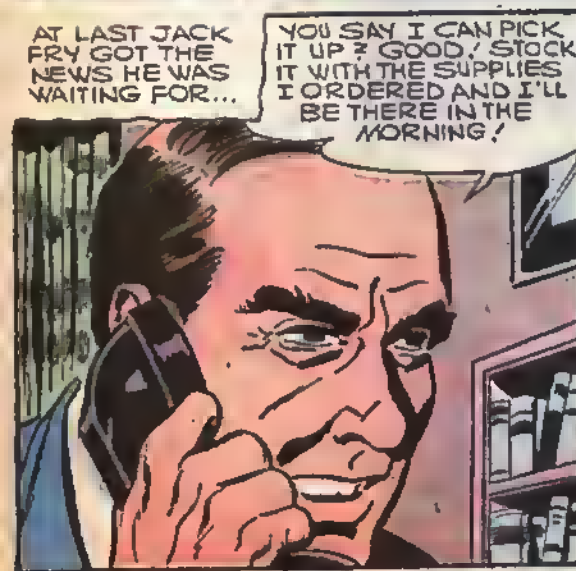
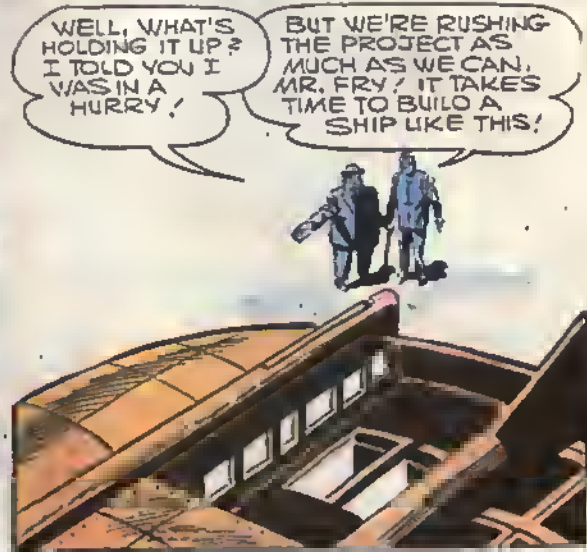




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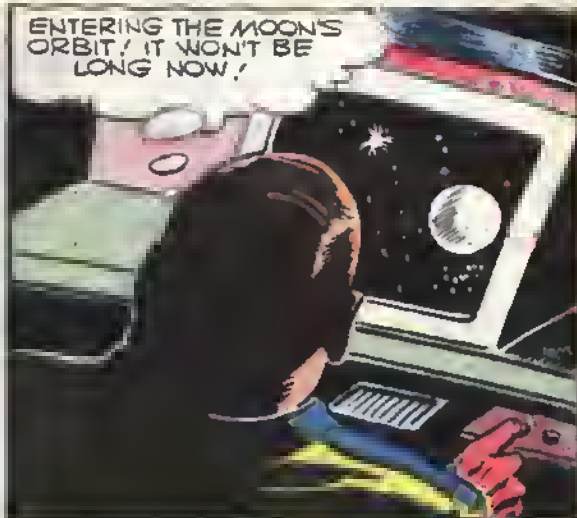
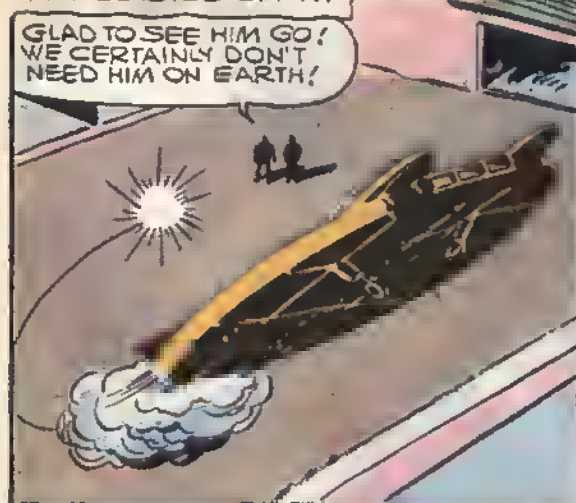
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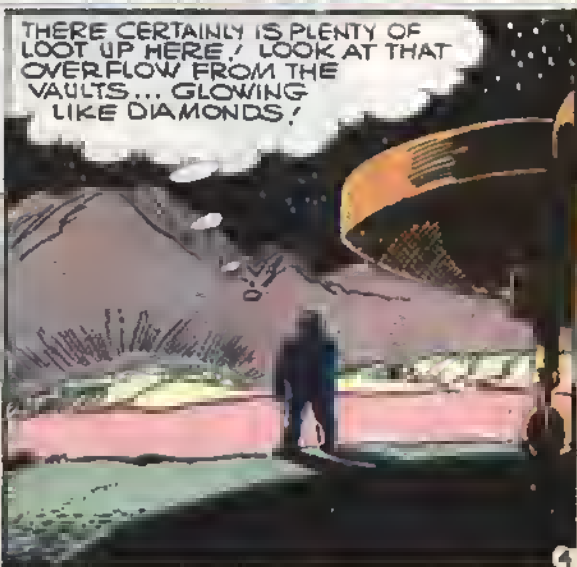
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WITHOUT A WORD OF FAREWELL, JACK FRY BLASTED OFF...

• THE SHIP WAS FAST AND COMFORTABLE...



EVERYTHING WAS GOING ACCORDING TO PLAN...





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THERE IT IS, THE ENTIRE TREASURE OF THE GALAXY...

BUT WAS IT HIS ?

MINE ! ALL MINE !  
THERE'S TRILLIONS  
OF DOLLARS HERE--  
ALL MINE !

HEY ! LET ME  
GO ! WHO  
ARE YOU ?

SURELY YOU REMEMBER  
ME, MR. FRY !

B- BUT YOU  
FADING !  
WHAT'S THIS  
ALL ABOUT ?

IT'S SIMPLE ! I DIDN'T TELL YOU THAT  
IN ADDITION TO BEING THE GALACTIC  
FORT KNOX, THE DARK SIDE OF  
THE MOON IS ALSO THE  
GALACTIC LEAVENWORTH  
PENITENTIARY !

BUT WHAT DO  
YOU WANT  
WITH ME ?

THAT'S SIMPLE, TOO ! WE'RE ABOUT TO  
ESTABLISH FRIENDLY RELATIONS WITH THE  
EARTH AND ARE RE-  
MOVING SUCH SELFISH  
AND GREEDY PEOPLE  
AS YOU ARE BEFORE  
DOING SO ! YOU'LL  
BE SAFE UP  
HERE-- UN-  
HARMED AND  
HARMLESS !

END

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# BEHIND THE EIGHT BALL

**T**HIS IS A VASTLY COMPLEX UNIVERSE WITH LEVELS OF LIFE YET UNDREAMED OF BY MAN! JUST AS OUR EARTH IS A PINPOINT OF WHIRLING MATTER TO THE SOLAR SYSTEM OF WHICH IT IS A PART, SO, TOO, ARE THERE OTHER WORLDS AND OTHER UNIVERSES ENORMOUS TO THEIR INHABITANTS WE NEVER NEVER KNOW ABOUT!



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**S**LOWLY, INEXORABLY THE MASS ROLLED DOWN ON THEM! EVEN THE GREATLY EXPANDED STRENGTH WHICH THEY HAD DEVELOPED FOR GENERATIONS DID NOT SERVE TO STEM THIS MERCILESS, UNREASONING NEMESIS...

JED STONE WAS WHAT YOU MIGHT CALL A SUB-AVERAGE YOUNG MAN...

HI, EIGHT-BALL! HOW'RE YOU DOING?

EIGHT BALL, THAT'S ME! I'VE BEEN BEHIND THE EIGHT BALL ALL MY LIFE!



NEVER HAD A BREAK! ALWAYS SCRAMBLING AROUND-- TRYING TO DO SOMETHING BIG! BUT WHERE DO I ALWAYS WIND UP-- RIGHT BACK BEHIND THE EIGHT BALL!

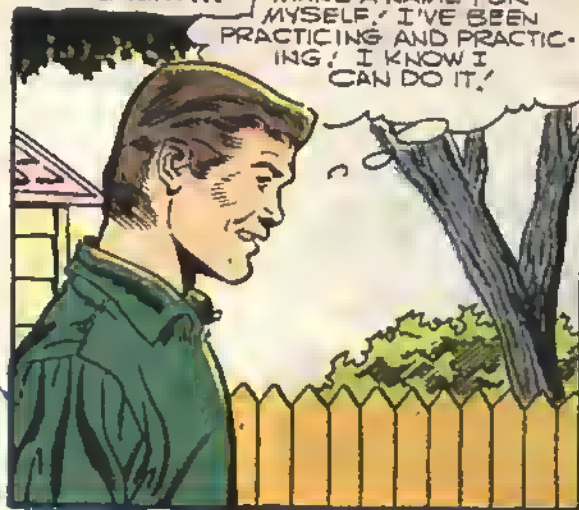




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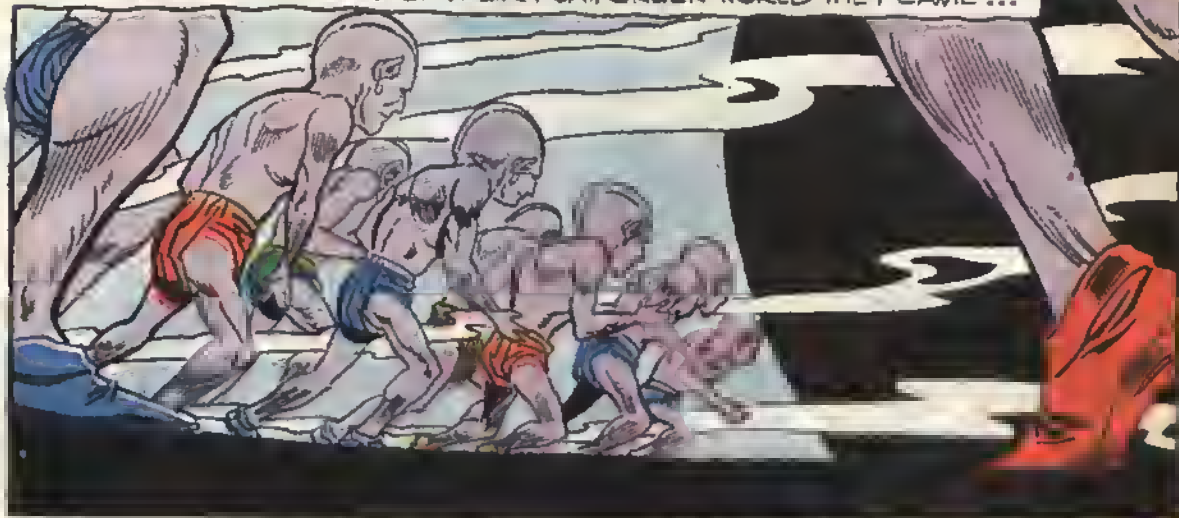
TODAY I KNOW I'LL  
MAKE A NAME FOR  
MYSELF. I'VE BEEN  
PRACTICING AND PRACTIC-  
ING! I KNOW I  
CAN DO IT!



MEANWHILE, WITHOUT ANY SEEMING CON-  
NECTION WITH JED STONE, LIFE BEGAN TO  
STIR SLOWLY INSIDE THE STRANGE  
CREATURES...



FROM THE FOUR CORNERS OF THEIR FLAT, GREEN WORLD THEY CAME ...



...TO JOIN OTHERS OF THEIR KIND ...



THEY FOUND THE STRENGTH SWELLING IN-  
SIDE OF THEM...AND THE LUST TO  
DOMINATE WORLDS OTHER THAN THEIR  
OWN ...



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THEY BEGAN TESTING THEIR STRENGTH. THEY WERE FLEXING THEIR COLLECTIVE MUSCLES, PREPARATORY TO INTER-WORLD CONFLICT...



NOW THEIR LEADERS GATHERED TOGETHER, DRAWING UP BATTLE PLANS.



THE TIME CYCLE OF THEIR WORLD WAS AMAZINGLY ACCELERATED. ALREADY THE YOUNG MALES OF A NEW GENERATION WERE PLAYING WARLIKE GAMES...





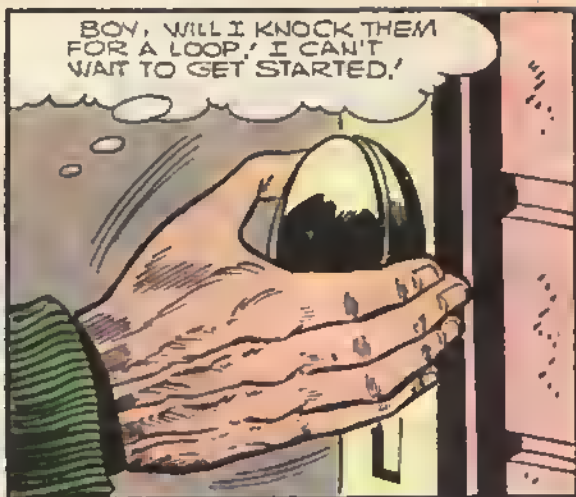
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AND AS ALL THIS WAS GOING ON -- JED STONE'S GREAT MOMENT APPROACHED.

WELL, IT'S ALMOST TIME! I'LL SHOW THEM!



BOY, WILL I KNOCK THEM FOR A LOOP, I CAN'T WAIT TO GET STARTED!



IN DESPERATION THE LEADERS ORDERED THE STRONGEST OF THEIR MULTITUDES TO STEM THIS FEARFUL, THREATENING MOVEMENT OF THEIR FRIENDLY MOUNTAIN..

AS JED STONE STARTED TO PUT HIS PLANS INTO OPERATION...



... A STRANGE DREAD GRIPPED THE CREATURES, THE MOUNTAIN WAS MOVING, MERCILESSLY AND INEXORABLY...MOVING...



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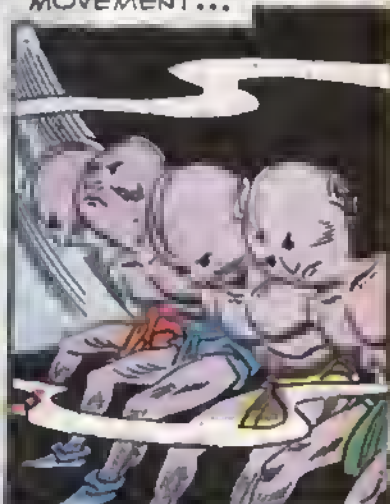
BUT NOTHING HELPED! THE COMBINED MIGHT OF THEIR STRONGEST WAS NOT ENOUGH...



WHEN PANIC STRUCK, THE LEADERS DECIDED UPON A PLAN WHICH, THOUGH DESPERATE, WAS THE ONLY THING LEFT TO DO...



EVERY INHABITANT OF THAT THREATENED PLAIN WAS ORDERED INTO THE SHADOW OF THE MOVING MASS AND ALL STRAINED AGAINST IT... TO STOP ITS MOVEMENT...



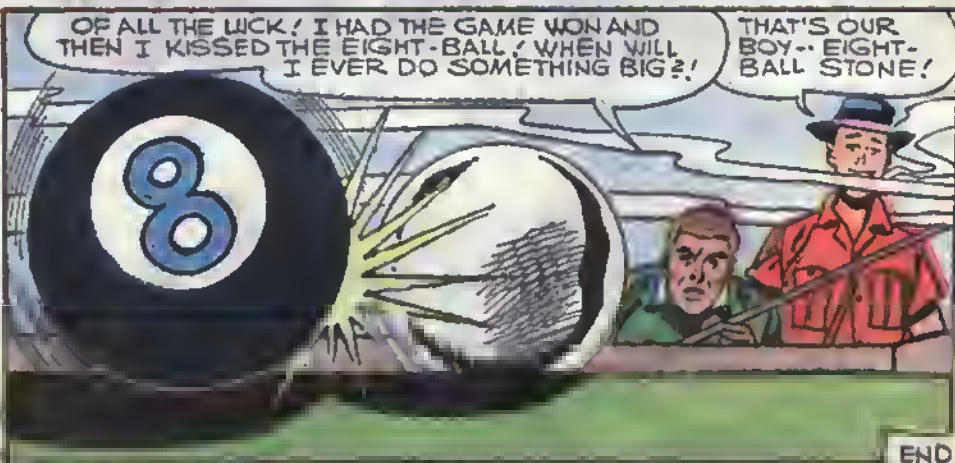
BUT THAT LAST DESPERATE PLAN FAILED AS SILENCE SETTLED ON THE PLAIN FOREVER AS THE MOUNTAIN CLOSED OVER THE ENTIRE POPULATION...



YES, THERE ARE OTHER WORLDS ALL AROUND US! VAST AND FATHOMLESS BEYOND OUR WILDEST DREAMS-- AND TINY WORLDS SO SMALL THAT THEIR BOUNDARIES ARE THE SIDES OF A BILLIARD TABLE...AND AN EIGHT-BALL IS LIKE A MOUNTAIN.

OF ALL THE LUCK! I HAD THE GAME WON AND THEN I KISSED THE EIGHT-BALL! WHEN WILL I EVER DO SOMETHING BIG?!

THAT'S OUR BOY-- EIGHT-BALL STONE!



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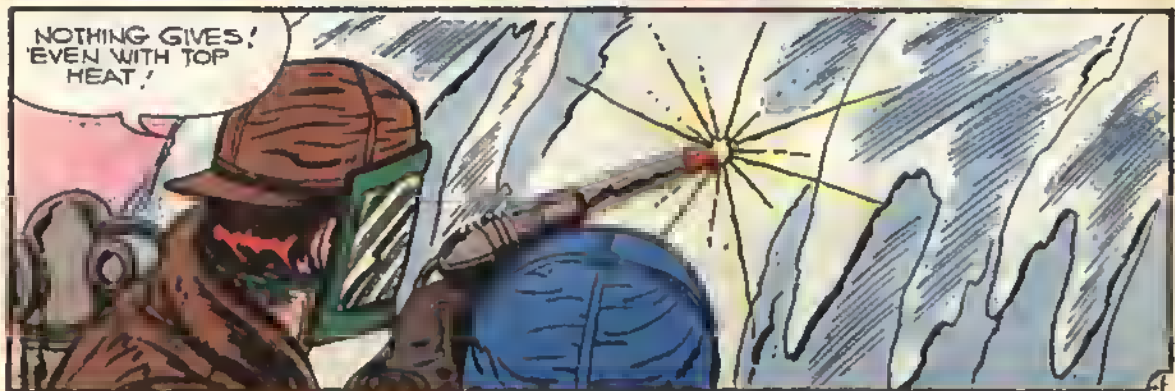
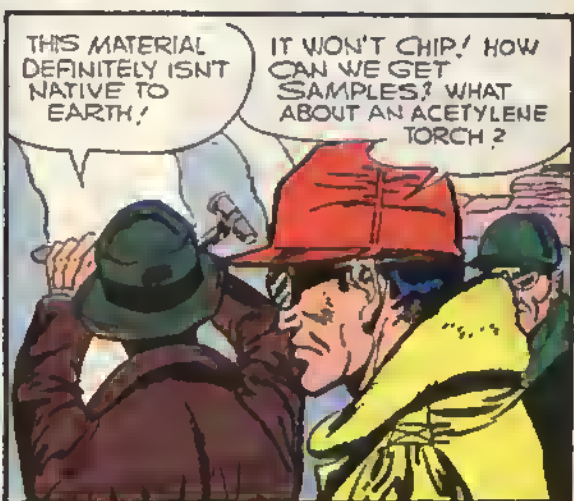
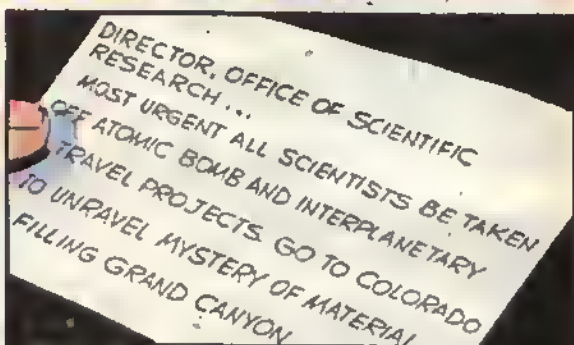
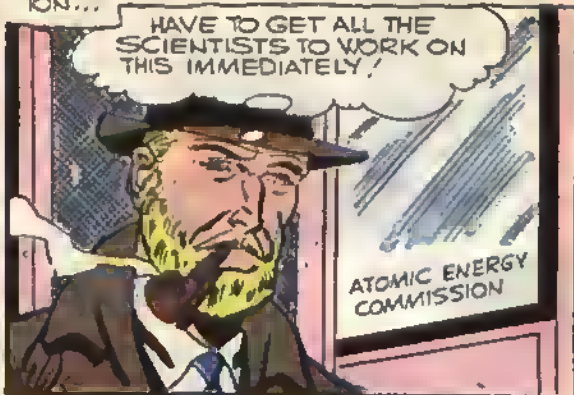
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# THE NIGHT THE GRAND CANYON DISAPPEARED

HOW COULD THIS BE? WHAT COULD'VE HAPPENED? JUST LAST NIGHT IT HAD BEEN THERE, THE SAME GRAND CANYON THAT TOURISTS HAD BEEN COMING FROM ALL OVER THE WORLD TO MARVEL AT-- AND NOW IT WAS GONE, FILLED WITH SOME MYSTERIOUS MATERIAL...



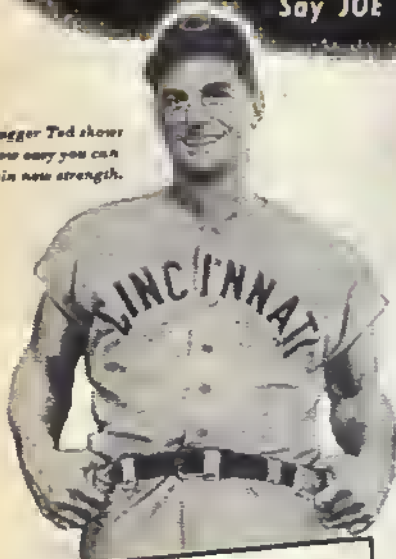
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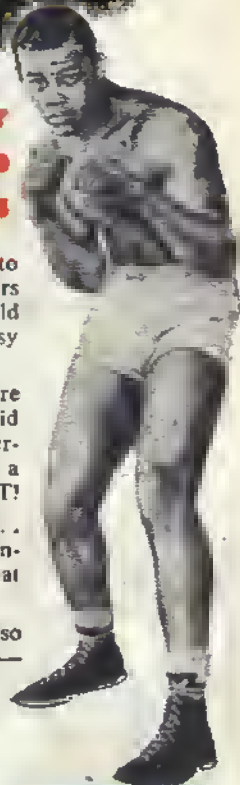
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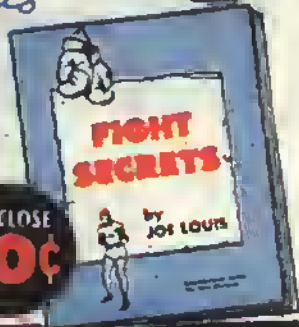
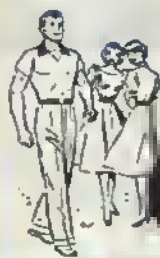
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THE MYSTERY DEEPENED...

GENTLEMEN, WE'RE SURE OF ONLY ONE FACT-- THAT THIS MATERIAL HAS COME FROM SOME OTHER PLANET, BUT WE DON'T KNOW HOW OR WHY!

THIS IS SERIOUS! SHOULDN'T WE CONSULT WITH SCIENTISTS FROM OTHER COUNTRIES?

I'VE ALREADY CALLED FOR A MEETING. MEN FROM EVERY COUNTRY WILL BE THERE!

GENTLEMEN, SOMEHOW THE GRAND CANYON HAS BEEN FILLED WITH AN ALIEN MATERIAL IMPERVIOUS TO ANY TECHNIQUES WE KNOW. IT'S IMPORTANT TO THE WHOLE WORLD THAT THIS MYSTERY BE SOLVED. THEREFORE WE ASK THAT YOU ALL FORGET NATIONAL RIVALRIES AND IN THE SPIRIT OF SCIENCE WORK TOGETHER TO SOLVE THIS...

WE WILL! WE WILL!

AND SO...

THE FIRST THING WE MUST FIND OUT WHETHER THE HEAT OF AN ATOMIC REACTOR CAN MELT THIS MATERIAL!

CAPITAL, OLD CHAP! I HAVE A PORTABLE REACTOR WE CAN FLY OUT THERE!

AND DAYS LATER...

HMM, IT'S CERTAINLY TOO DENSE FOR LIGHT TO PASS THROUGH!

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BUT THE SCIENTISTS WERE WRONG! LIGHT DID PENETRATE THE MATERIAL, BUT ONLY FROM BELOW...

OUR PLAN IS WORKING! THE EARTHLINGS ARE SHEDDING THEIR MISTRUST OF ONE ANOTHER!

THE MYSTERY CREATED BY US FOR THE EXPRESS PURPOSE OF TEACHING THEM THAT THOSE WHO COME FROM FAR OFF PLACES, NEED NOT BE ENEMIES!

HERETOFORE, WHENEVER WE TRIED TO CONTACT EARTHLINGS DIRECTLY...



QUICK--THE INSTANTANEOUS POWER JET! HE'S FIRING AT US!



EARTH MEN STILL TOO SUSPICIOUS FOR PEACE APPROACH! RETURNING HOME!



\*BUT NOW, WORKING TOGETHER, THEY ARE FEELING BROTHERHOOD FOR ONE ANOTHER, AND AS SOON AS WE SENSE THAT THE FEELING HAS GROWN STRONG ENOUGH TO EXTEND...

...EVEN TO BEINGS FROM OUTER SPACE, WE SHALL RISE TO THE SURFACE AND CONTACT THEM DIRECTLY--AND WHAT STARTED AS MYSTERY, SHALL END UP AS FRIENDSHIP!



END



# "DANGLING BEAM"

There was a grim look of determination on the face of Francine Hopkins. Generally when you saw her, she was full of smiles. The girls at the office where she worked knew she was very happy. And why not? She wore that big engagement ring with pride. It had taken several weeks to make up her mind. Now she was facing Bob Russel. The big husky ex-football star knew something was going to happen. So he awaited it. Francine came right to the point. "I love you, Bob. At the office they all think I am the luckiest girl in the world to get a fellow like you. Know something? They are perfectly right. But something has been bothering me. It's your work. Each day while you are away, I worry. Just can't help it. And at night I get those mixed up dreams. I see you on top of a building. All you have to do is make one false step and down you go.

No use fooling myself. It's going to be the same way when we are married. I'll have the dinner waiting and then you'll be late. A thousand terrible thoughts will go through my mind. I know that big buildings must be erected, and takes a lot of men willing to do the work. But you don't have to walk on every beam and check up on the men. You are top man in the Hopkins Construction Company. Why not give yourself a good desk job? It will be easier on you and easier on me."

Bob Russel didn't laugh. He knew exactly how this girl felt. For his mother felt the same way when his dad worked for the company. He tried to explain one important fact to Francine.

"Did it ever dawn upon you that I never have the slightest worry in the world about my work? If I worried, then I would have to quit. For when confidence falters, then the foot hesitates, and you can slip. Every job in the world has some kind of calculated risk to it. You told me that for two summers you were a life guard in a girl's camp. Look at the risks you took. You might swim out to save a girl and in trying to do so, find you are unable to come back. Or you get hold of that girl and find you can't break her panic grip. Both of you might drown. Every time you drive your car you take a

risk. So relax, my darling. I love my work and it gives me a good income. You just stop worrying."

"Then that means you will continue with your work when we are married," half challenged Francine.

"It does," snapped back Bob Russel who was beginning to lose his temper.

Then it happened. Just how, was a bit difficult for Francine to remember. One word led to another. She began to cry. Before she knew it she had taken the engagement ring off her finger and handed it back to the man she loved. He was stunned but said nothing. When it was over, Francine found herself home alone and still crying.

"Oh, what a fool I have been, what happened to me?" she shouted to the four walls of her living room. "How could I have done such a thing? When you marry a man, you share his joys and his sorrows with him. If that's his work and he likes it, then why should I complain?"

She didn't sleep at all that night. In the morning she called up the office and told them she wasn't coming in that day. She half heartedly ate her breakfast. She made up her mind what to do. At ten she left the apartment and drove her car to Pine and Whitehall Avenues. There the Hopkins Construction Company was putting up a new office building. The steel framework for the first twelve stories was already in place. She headed for the main office which was a wooden shack on the side of the street. The door was open and she saw Bob Russel.

"Could you forgive me for being a fool?" she pleaded.

He took her in his arms and kissed her. She sniffed a bit and then continued speaking.

"If you want me to learn how to walk on beams, I'll do it."

Suddenly both of them heard a loud crash. They dashed outside to see what had hap-

pened. Jim Daniels, the foreman, rushed over to Bob Russel. He pointed up to the top of the framework. A beam was dangling in the air with three men clinging to it.

"A delivery truck went out of control and smashed into the boom crane. The top of the crane hit the beams. Those men will fall down and be killed unless we can do something to save them!"

The situation was critical. The workmen were holding back traffic and roping off the street. Bob Russel had to do some quick thinking. If they tried to move the boom crane, it might smash through all the steel framework.

"Get every man out of the construction work," he shouted to Frank Gorman, his assistant. "Get me the police emergency squad. We have the other boom crane on the east side of the building. We must move it here."

The police emergency squad arrived in record time. Lieutenant Morton Downer blocked off traffic. Then he set up a loud speaker unit.

"Any advice you want to give the men up there?" he asked Bob Russel.

The young man walked quickly over to the microphone. He could see the three men still holding on securely to the dangling beam.

"Hello up there," he began. "I know it isn't exactly the best place in the world to be. I am talking to Mike Perosi, Hi Phillips, and Dan Georgio. I am getting the boom crane into position. We'll attach a big bucket to the top and then swing it up into the air. All you have to do is get into the bucket and you'll all be brought down safely. Just hold on and don't waste any precious energy."

Frank Gorman and a crew worked feverishly to attach the big bucket to the boom crane. Francine's face was white as she realized how precious the seconds were ticking off her wrist watch. She came up to the side of Bob.

"They'll be saved, won't they?" she asked.

"If it is within our power to do so, you can be certain we will get them down. The one fear is that they might start to tire and loosen the grip they have on the beam."

The boom crane was now ready to swing into action. Bob walked up to Lou Keller, who was at the controls.

"You must avoid touching the other beam," he warned. "Otherwise everything might start toppling down."

Slowly and efficiently the boom crane began to go higher and higher. It was now level

with the dangling beam. But the men didn't try to get into the bucket.

"What's wrong?" asked Lieutenant Morton Downer. "Why aren't the men getting into the bucket?"

"Tired and frozen to the beam, as we would say," was Bob's reply. "It might look simple down here. All each has to do is climb into the bucket. But that means letting go of the dangling beam. I'll speak to the men up there again. Let me use that microphone."

By this time the news photographers were in action shooting their pictures of the tense situation. Bob spoke into the microphone.

"So you fellows up there want service? Just hold on a little longer. We'll lower the boom and then I'll go up and see that each of you are personally escorted into the bucket."

Down came the boom crane. Francine rushed over to Bob. She opened her mouth to say something. Then she closed her lips tightly and clenched her fists. She kissed Bob and finally managed to speak.

"I know you will save them, darling."

Up again went the boom crane. Its single passenger was Bob and beads of perspiration formed on the forehead of Lou Keller as he handled the controls. The strain was beginning to tell on him. He finally stopped the bucket so that Bob could help the men into it. Mike Perosi was first and he sank to the bottom of the bucket. Next to be helped into the bucket was Hi Phillips. But Dan Georgio refused to budge. Nor could he say a word. Bob had to think quickly. He sensed that Dan Georgio was stocking up on his grip and he made one grab for the right wrist of the man and actually lifted him into the bucket. Then he signaled to Lou Keller to start the downward journey. It was slow but finally the bucket reached the ground. Willing hands lifted the men out. Then all at a sudden, the entire crowd consisting of the spectators, the working men, and the photographers broke into one loud cheer.

"A job well done," complimented the police officer. "You got nerve."

Francine was at Bob's side. He held her hand tightly. Then he spoke.

"If I weren't here, what would happen to those men?"

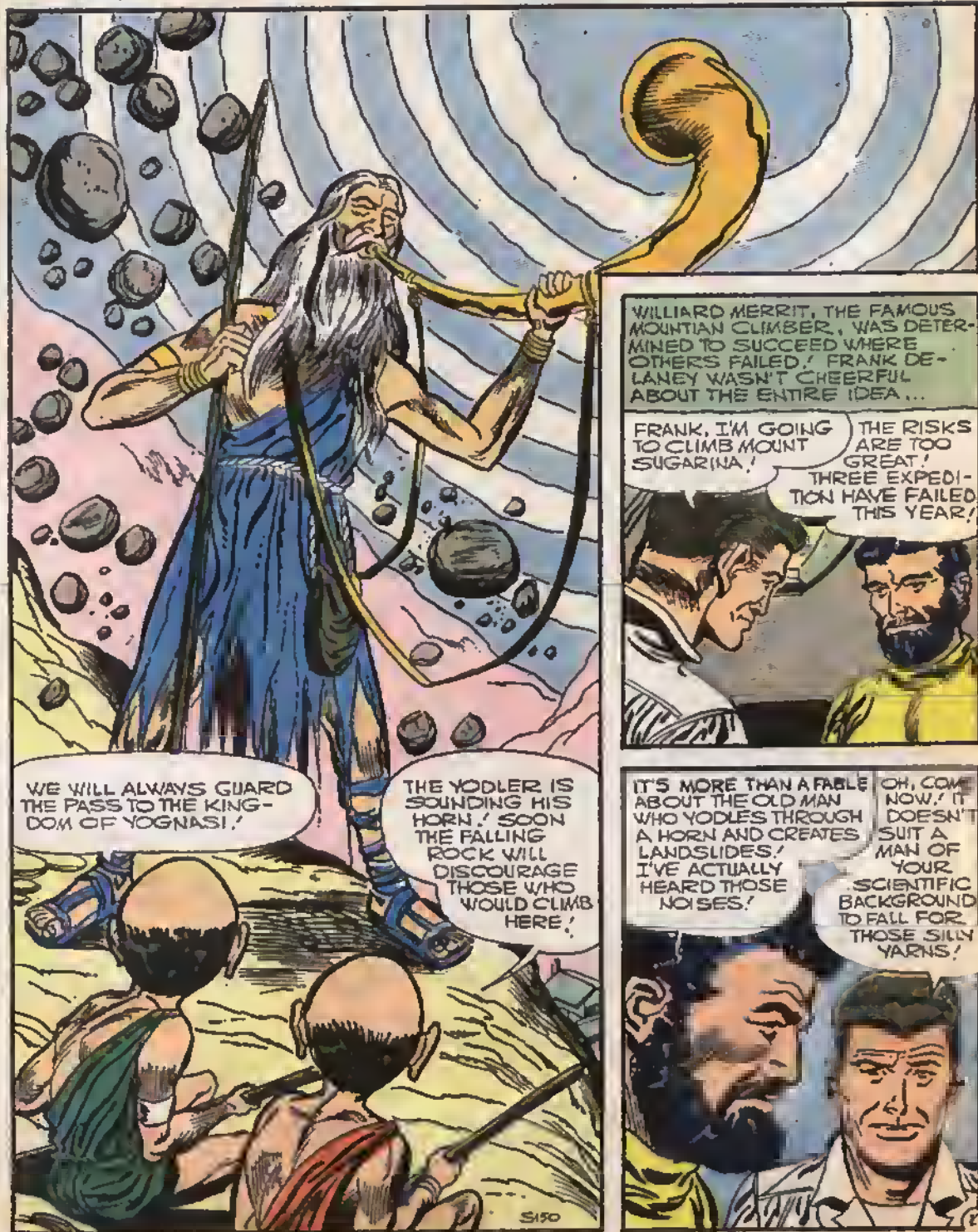
"Forgive me," she half pleaded. "I'll never worry anymore. I know you can handle any situation."



Mysteries of UNEXPLORED WORLDS

# The YODLER OF YOGNASI

FOR YEARS BRAVE MOUNTAIN CLIMBERS HAVE TRIED BUT ALL HAVE FAILED TO CLIMB MOUNT SUGARINA!



WILLIARD MERRIT, THE FAMOUS MOUNTAIN CLIMBER, WAS DETERMINED TO SUCCEED WHERE OTHERS FAILED. FRANK DE-LANEY WASN'T CHEERFUL ABOUT THE ENTIRE IDEA...

FRANK, I'M GOING TO CLIMB MOUNT SUGARINA!

THE RISKS ARE TOO GREAT!

THREE EXPEDITION HAVE FAILED THIS YEAR!

WE WILL ALWAYS GUARD THE PASS TO THE KINGDOM OF YOGNASI!

THE YODLER IS SOUNDING HIS HORN! SOON THE FALLING ROCK WILL DISCOURAGE THOSE WHO WOULD CLIMB HERE!

IT'S MORE THAN A FABLE ABOUT THE OLD MAN WHO YODLES THROUGH A HORN AND CREATES LANDSLIDES! I'VE ACTUALLY HEARD THOSE NOISES!

OH, COME NOW! IT DOESN'T SUIT A MAN OF YOUR SCIENTIFIC BACKGROUND TO FALL FOR THOSE SILLY YARNS!

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I HAVE WRITTEN TO MARK DUANE, THE BIG GAME HUNTER, TO COME HERE! AND IF I HEAR THOSE NOISES, THEN WITH THIS RECORDER I WILL PROVE IT IS NO LEGEND!

THE ONLY NOISES YOU'LL RECORD WILL BE MY CHEERS WHEN WE GET TO THE TOP!

THE MEN ARE AFRAID! NOW'S A FINE TIME TO TELL ME, AS HEAD PORTER, IT WAS YOUR JOB TO GET ME BRAVE MEN!

OF THE YODLER OF YOGNASI! HE WILL PUNISH THOSE WHO DARE TO CLIMB TOO HIGH!

IN HIS MONEY BELT MERRIT HAD AN EXTRA SUPPLY OF GOLD COINS...

HERE IS MORE GOLD! FOR IF YOU CONTINUE WITH ME THERE WILL STILL BE MORE WHEN WE RETURN TO CAMP!

FOR GOLD A MAN WILL DO MANY THINGS! RISK LIFE AND EVEN SELL HIS SOUL!

HERE COME PEOPLE AGAIN! THEY'RE TRYING TO REACH THE TOP AND FIND THE KINGDOM OF YOGNASI!

BLOW YOUR HORN, YODLER! AND THE MOUNTAIN SHALL TREMBLE AND SHOWER ITS ANGER UPON THE INTRUDER!

FRANK DELANEY WAS READY WHEN THE NOISES STARTED...

THE YODLER OF YOGNASI IS BLOWING HIS HORN!

I CAN HEAR IT ALSO! THIS TIME I WILL HAVE A TAPE RECORDING OF THOSE NOISES! I WANT TO ANALYZE THEM LATER!

YOU HEARD THE YODLER! NOW SEE THE DESTRUCTION HE HAS HURLED AT US!

THERE'S NO PLACE FOR US TO RUN!



Stop being a **SKINNY** Weakling like I was →

YOU CAN DO ALL I DID  
IN 10 MINUTES of FUN A DAY

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**10 PLEASANT MINUTES A DAY**  
In Your Own Home Like Jim Did  
and I'll give you a **NEW HE-MAN BODY**  
for your **OLD SKELETON FRAME**



**NO!** I don't care how skinny  
or flabby you are I'll  
make you **OVER** by the **SAME**  
method I turned myself from  
a wreck to the strongest of  
the strong. Why can't I do for you what  
I did for **MANY THOUSANDS** of skinny  
fellows like you?

Develop **YOUR 520 MUSCLES**  
gain **Pounds, INCHES FAST!**

**YES!** You'll see **INCHES** of **MIGHTY**  
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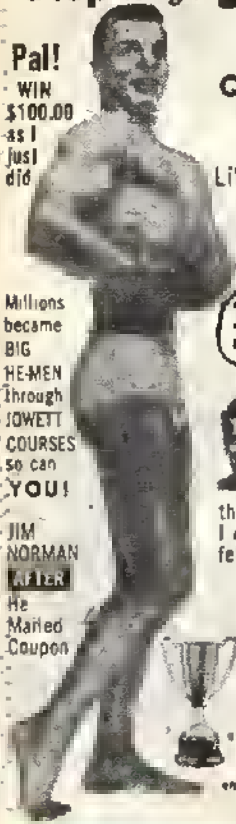
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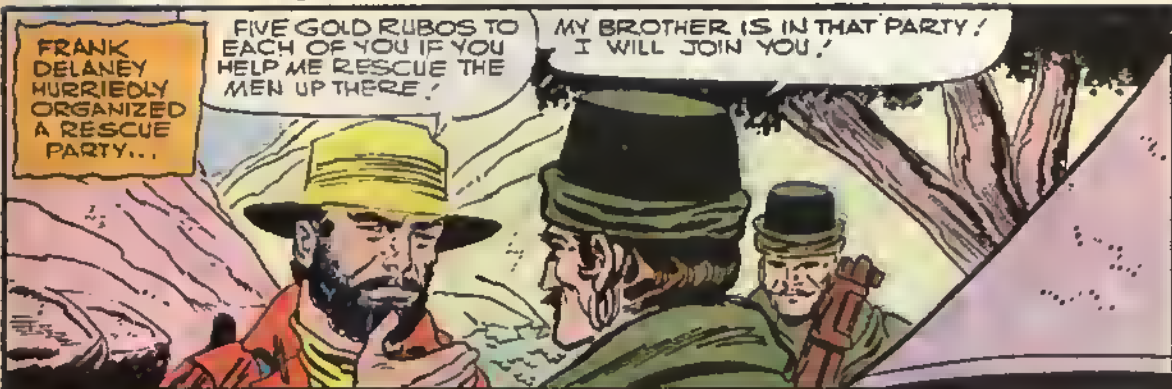
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FRANK DELANEY HURRIEDLY ORGANIZED A RESCUE PARTY...

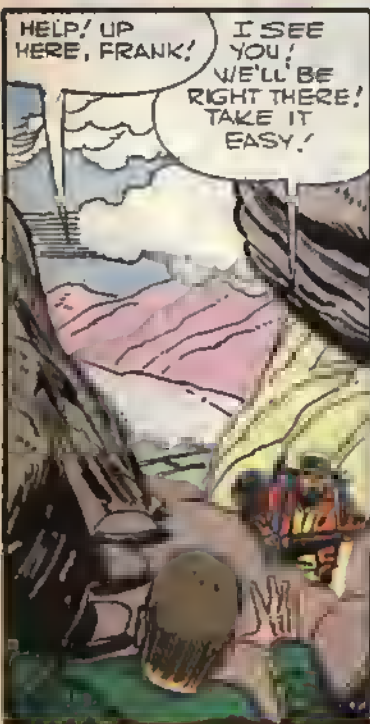
FIVE GOLD RUBOS TO EACH OF YOU IF YOU HELP ME RESCUE THE MEN UP THERE!

MY BROTHER IS IN THAT PARTY! I WILL JOIN YOU!



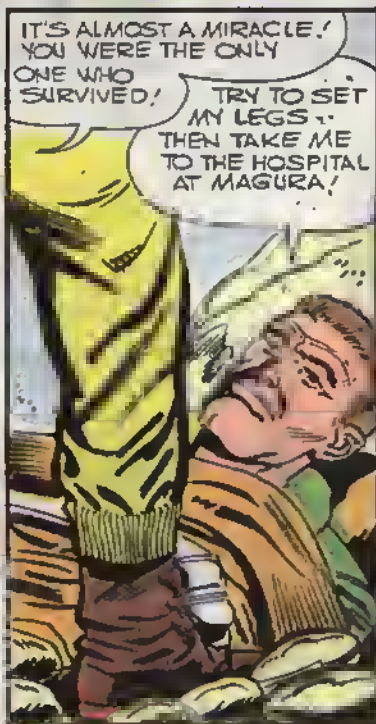
HELP! UP HERE, FRANK!

I SEE YOU! WE'LL BE RIGHT THERE! TAKE IT EASY!



IT'S ALMOST A MIRACLE! YOU WERE THE ONLY ONE WHO SURVIVED!

TRY TO SET MY LEGS... THEN TAKE ME TO THE HOSPITAL AT MAGURA!



MY HEAD PORTER SHOUTED HE COULD SEE THE YODLER AND THE TWO

THE TAPE RE-CORDING ANSWERS THE MYSTERY! THE VIBRATIONS CAUSED BY THAT PECULIAR HORN WILL START AN EARTHSLIDE! NOTHING MAGICAL

HOW DID THEY CAUSE THE LANDSLIDE?

ABOUT THAT!



YOU SHOULD BE ABLE TO REACH THE HOSPITAL IN ABOUT TWO WEEKS! WHEN I GET FINISHED HERE, I WILL JOIN YOU!

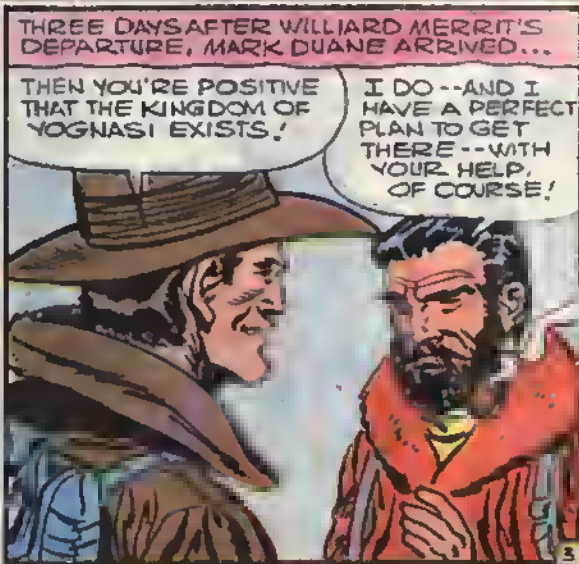
I OWE MY LIFE TO YOU! TAKE CARE OF YOURSELF AND DON'T TRY TO CLIMB MOUNT SUGARINA!



THREE DAYS AFTER WILLIARD MERRIT'S DEPARTURE, MARK DUANE ARRIVED...

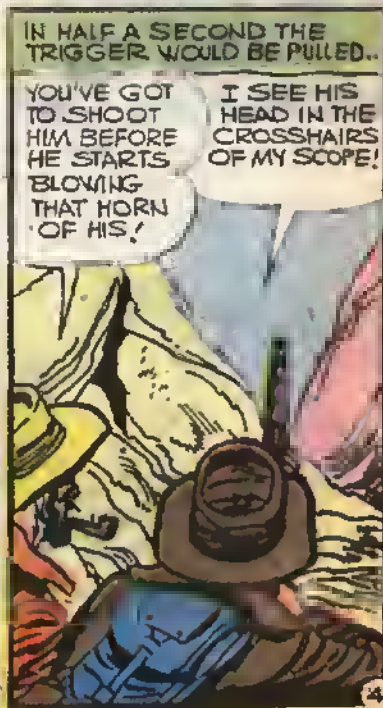
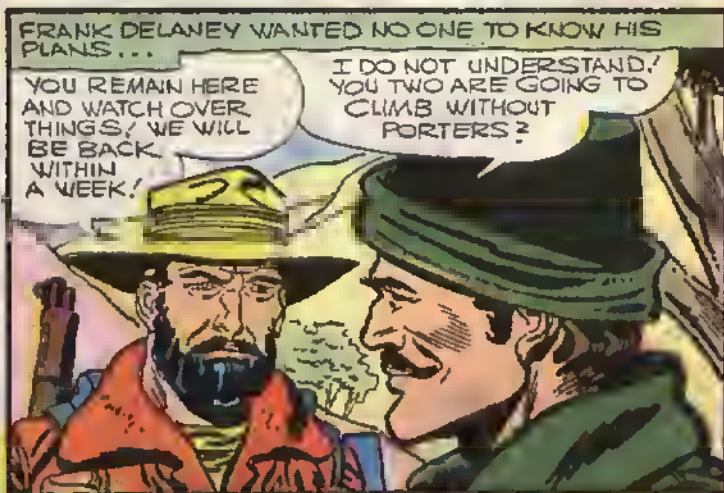
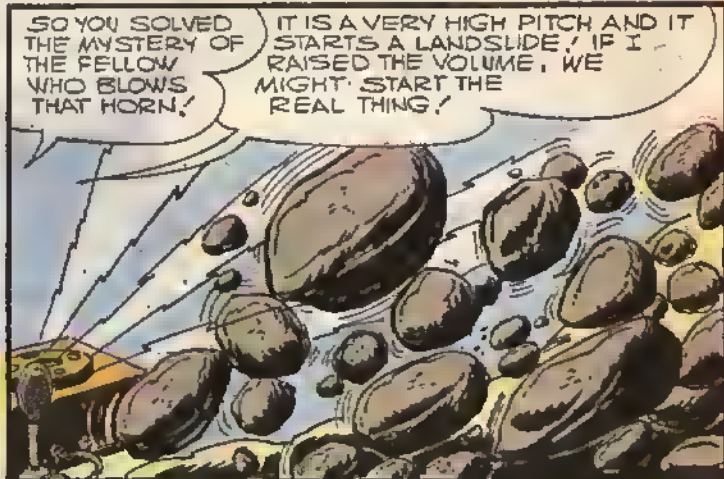
THEN YOU'RE POSITIVE THAT THE KINGDOM OF YOGNASI EXISTS!

I DO -- AND I HAVE A PERFECT PLAN TO GET THERE -- WITH YOUR HELP, OF COURSE!





# Mysteries of UNEXPLORED WORLDS



# Mysteries of UNEXPLORED WORLDS



YOU GOT HIM! THAT WAS A PERFECT SHOT! THE END OF THE YODLER!

WELL, LET'S GO UP! THERE'S NO ONE TO STOP US NOW!

ANOTHER LANDSLIDE! SO ARE THOSE PUNISHED WHO DEFEY THE YODLER OF YOGNASI! ORGANIZE A RESCUE PARTY!

WHY WASTE OUR TIME AND ENERGY? I AM CERTAIN THEY COULD NEVER SURVIVE THAT SLIDE!



HOW COULD THIS ROCK SLIDE HAVE STARTED? HE DIDN'T BLOW THAT HORN!

IT WAS THE VIBRATION FROM THAT SHOT! WHAT A FOOL I WAS NOT TO THINK OF IT! AAHHHN!



AND HE WAS RIGHT...



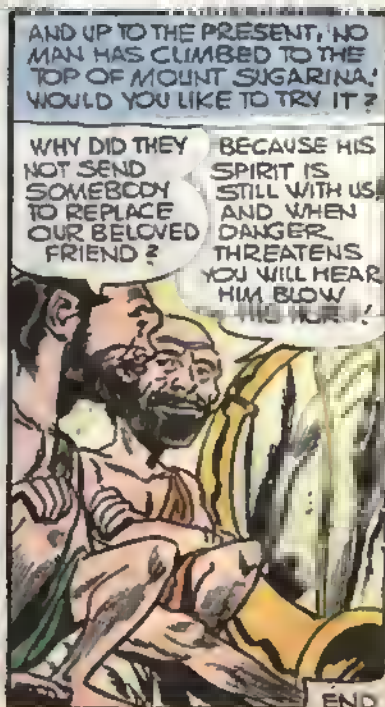
WHILE RECUPERATING, WILLIARD MERRIT RECEIVES A LETTER...

BAD NEWS? FRANK DE-LANEY, WHO SAVED MY LIFE, IS DEAD! AND SO IS MARK DUANE, THE BIG GAME HUNTER!



YOU REALLY BELIEVE THIS FOOLISH STORY ABOUT A YODLER UP THERE?

WHY NOT CLIMB UP AND SEE FOR YOURSELF? IS THAT NOT THE BEST ANSWER I CAN GIVE?



AND UP TO THE PRESENT, NO MAN HAS CLIMBED TO THE TOP OF MOUNT SUGARINA! WOULD YOU LIKE TO TRY IT?

WHY DID THEY NOT SEND SOMEBODY TO REPLACE OUR BELOVED FRIEND?

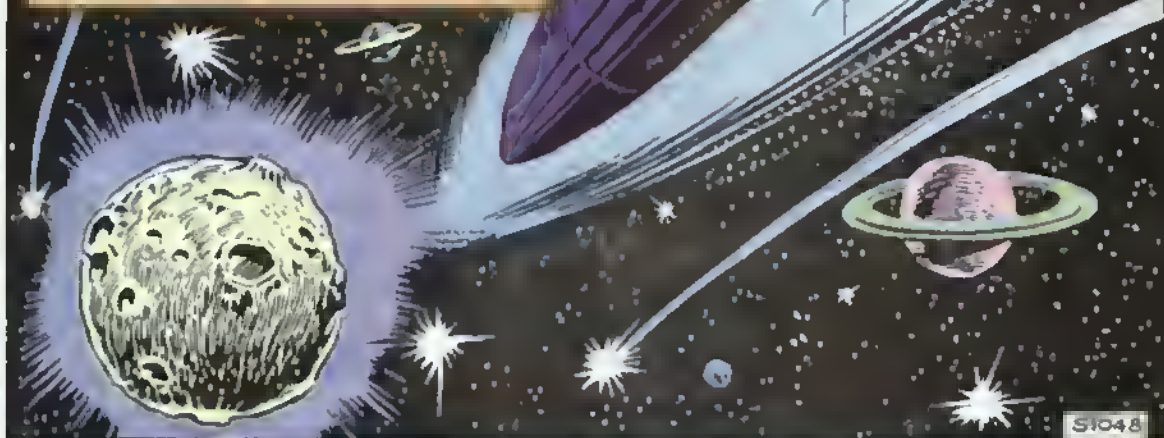
BECAUSE HIS SPIRIT IS STILL WITH US! AND WHEN DANGER THREATENS YOU WILL HEAR HIM BLOW HIS HORN!

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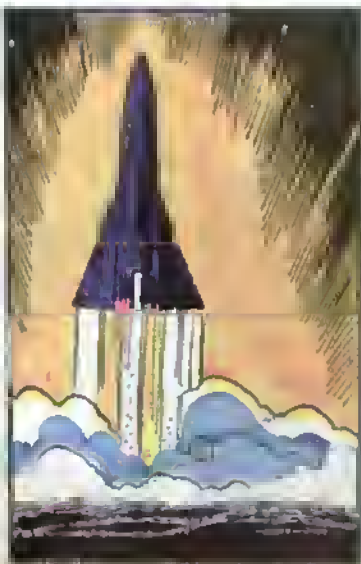
# OBJECTIVE MOON

WITH THE DISCOVERY IN 1965 OF THE NEW SUPERPOWER ELEMENT, POCON, THE WORLD BEGAN A GIGANTIC RACE TO BE THE FIRST TO BREACH THE BARRIERS OF OUTER SPACE. WHILE ALL SCIENTISTS AND ENGINEERS OF THE GREAT NATIONS OF THE EARTH FORGED SLOWLY FORWARD WITH PAINSTAKING THOROUGHNESS TOWARD THE COMPLETION OF GREAT SPACE SHIPS, THE UNITED STATES CUT A SHARP CORNER BY BUILDING A GUIDED MISSILE ...



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AT FOUR MINUTES BEFORE MID-NIGHT ON APRIL 12, 1967, YEARS BEFORE OTHERS COULD EVEN APPROACH FINISHED PRODUCTION, THE UNITED STATES ARMY LAUNCHED ITS SECRET MISSILE FROM AN UNDISCLOSED LOCATION SOMEWHERE IN NEW MEXICO...



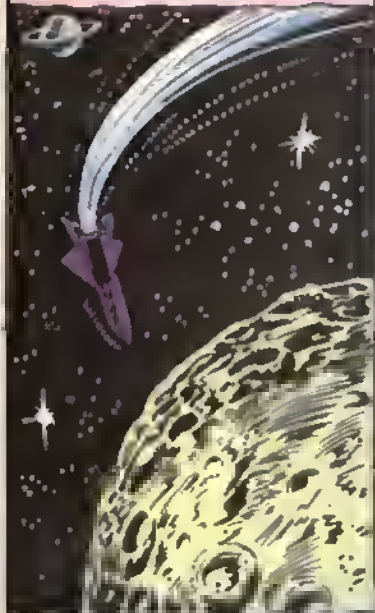
INSIDE THE MISSILE THERE WAS ROOM FOR ONE PERSON -- REX COSTELLO, MAJOR, U.S. ARMY OUTERSPACE RESERVE ...

MISSILE BOY CALLING  
BASE APACHE --  
ALL'S WELL!  
ACCELERATION  
NOW FORTY  
THOUSAND  
M.P.H. --  
INCREASE  
SPEED...



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THE MISSILE EVENTUALLY  
ATTAINED A SPEED OF  
OVER ONE HUNDRED  
THOUSAND MILES PER  
HOUR / SO, TWO AND A  
HALF HOURS LATER...



MAJOR REX COSTELLO  
REPORTING BASE  
APACHE / OBJECTIVE  
REACHED!

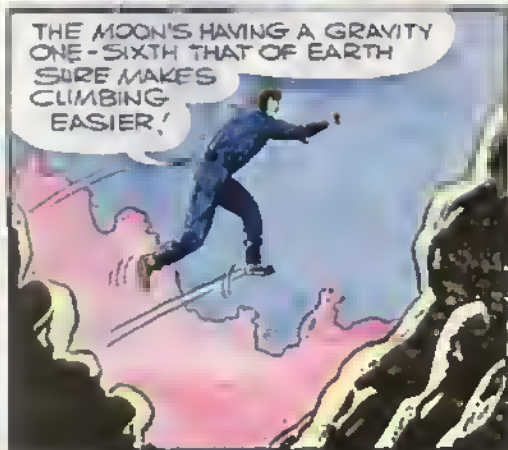


SO I'M ON THE MOON! IT'S  
HARD TO BELIEVE IT! WELL,  
THERE DOESN'T SEEM  
TO BE ANY  
WELCOME  
COMMITTEE!



REX  
COSTELLO  
STARTED  
UP  
THE  
MOUNTAIN,  
BECAUSE  
FROM  
THE  
MOUNTAIN  
HEIGHTS  
HE  
COULD  
BETTER  
SURVEY  
THE  
LAND...

THE MOON'S HAVING A GRAVITY  
ONE-SIXTH THAT OF EARTH  
SURE MAKES  
CLIMBING  
EASIER!





# Mysteries of UNEXPLORED WORLDS

THERE WAS NO SOUND BECAUSE THERE WAS NO AIR TO CARRY IT, SO IT MUST HAVE BEEN A SIXTH SENSE THAT CAUSED REX TO TURN...

GOOD GRIEF!

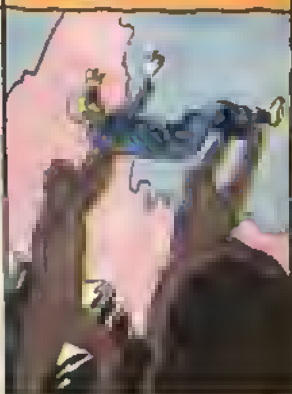


DESPERATELY REX FIRED, BUT THEY WERE ALREADY UPON HIM...

HEY!



THEY DID NOT SPEAK, FOR THEY HAD NO MOUTHS! AND THEY GRABBED REX FIRMLY IN MASSIVE HANDS! REX'S STRUGGLES WERE FUTILE...



THEY SEEM TO KNOW WHERE THEY'RE GOING! WISH I KNEW!



THEY'RE SOME SORT OF HUMANS! TAKES BRAINS TO BUILD A PALACE LIKE THIS IN THE SIDE OF A MOUNTAIN!



# Mysteries of UNEXPLORED WORLDS

THE CAPTORS SHOVED REX INTO A LARGE ROOM! A SINGLE CREATURE GREETED HIM BY SPEAKING THOUGHTS THROUGH HIS EYES...



I AM MOX! ELECTED HEAD OF THIS PLACE YOU CALL THE MOON! WE ARE A FRIENDLY RACE...

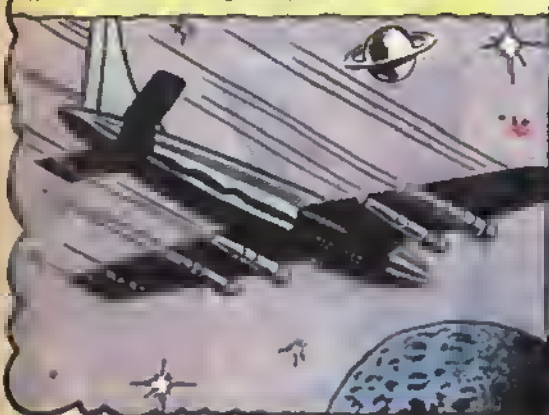
THE GREETING DIDN'T LOOK FRIENDLY TO ME!

YOUR VOICE MAKES NO SOUND, BUT I READ YOUR THOUGHTS! I REPEAT-- WE ARE SENSITIVE, SO SENSITIVE WE TAKE ON THE ATTITUDES OF OTHERS NEAR US!

YOU MEAN I'M NOT THE FIRST?



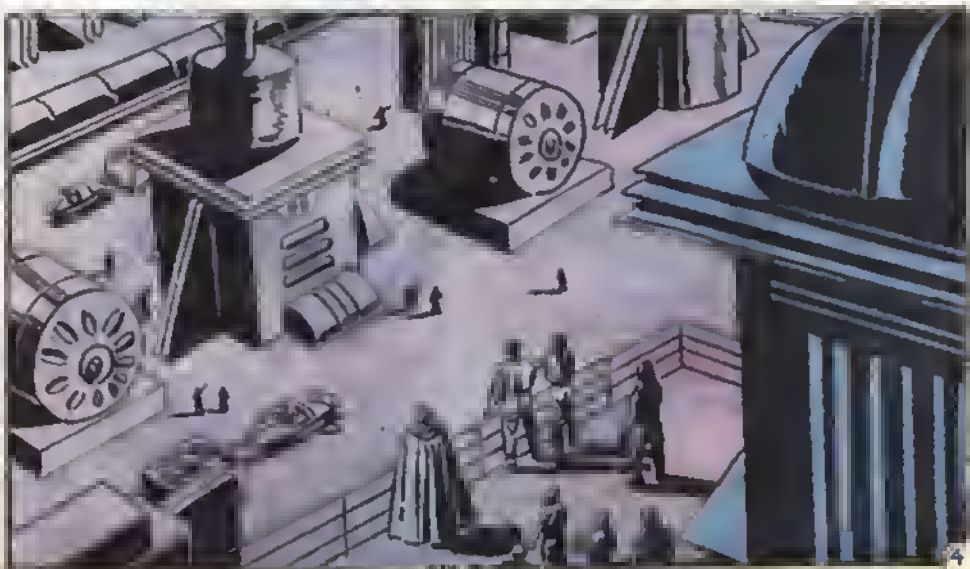
"NO, THE OTHERS CAME TWENTY-TWO CYCLES AGO! WE SAW THEIR CRAFT APPROACHING AS WE SAW YOURS COME! WE LATER LEARNED THEY HAD BEEN TRAVELING MORE THAN A MOON-CYCLE, WHAT YOU'D CALL A MONTH ...



GREAT JOY AND EXCITEMENT REIGNED HERE AS OUR CITIZENS THROGGED TO GREET THE STRANGERS...



WE LIVE ON COSMIC RAYS, WE DO NOT EAT OR BREATHE LIKE YOU EARTH PEOPLE! WE COULD NOT BANQUET OUR GUESTS BUT WE DID GIVE THEM THE FREEDOM OF OUR CITY, THE RIGHT TO COME AND GO AS THEY PLEASED! AND WE MANUFACTURED FOOD THEY COULD EAT, OXYGENIZED ROOMS FOR THEM TO LIVE IN...





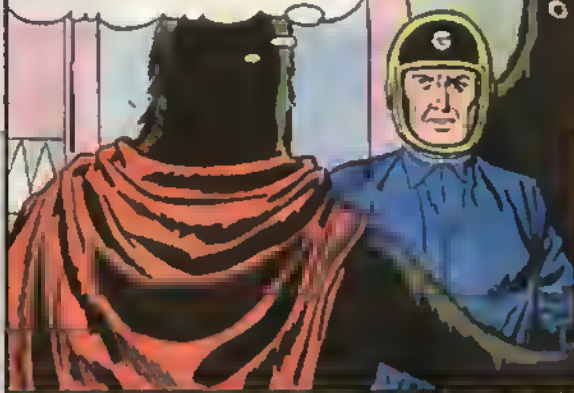
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BUT YOUR EARTH PEOPLE WERE EVIL! THEY THOUGHT EVIL! AND SOON FIGHTING BROKE OUT AMONG US! HATE WAS ABSORBED FROM THE VISITORS..."



BEFORE THEY DESTROYED OUR CIVILIZATION WITH THEIR EVILNESS OF THOUGHT I HAD THEM IMPRISONED! THEY ARE WITH US, BUT CANNOT HURT US! WOULD YOU LIKE TO SEE THEM?

I SURE WOULD!



MOX MOVED TO A SCREEN AND SWITCHED IT ON... THERE, ON THE BIG SCREEN CONNECTED TO THE PRISON CELLS...

HITLER! THEN HITLER DID ESCAPE!

YES, THAT IS HIS NAME! I GATHERED FROM HIS THOUGHTS THE SHIP WAS MADE BY SLAVE LABOR! ALSO THAT HE WAS BEING HUNTED! BUT THEY ARE ALL QUITE MAD NOW! THEY MAKE THOSE MOTIONS BY THE HOUR, DAY AFTER DAY!



REX STAYED ON THE MOON FOR A WEEK! WHEN HE LEFT HE HAD THE GOOD-WILL OF MOX AND HIS PEOPLE



LATER, ARMY HEADQUARTERS ON EARTH ...

...AND THIS IS THE STORY, GENERAL! THE MOON PEOPLE WANT TO BE COLONIZED BY THE UNITED STATES!



AMAZING, MAJOR WE WILL BUILD A THOUSAND

MISSILES LIKE YOURS AND SEND AN ARMY TO BUILD A FORTRESS FOR THEIR PROTECTION! WHILE WE EXIST, NO OTHER NATION WILL TAKE ADVANTAGE OF THEIR FRIENDLINESS!



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## THE TINY WORLD

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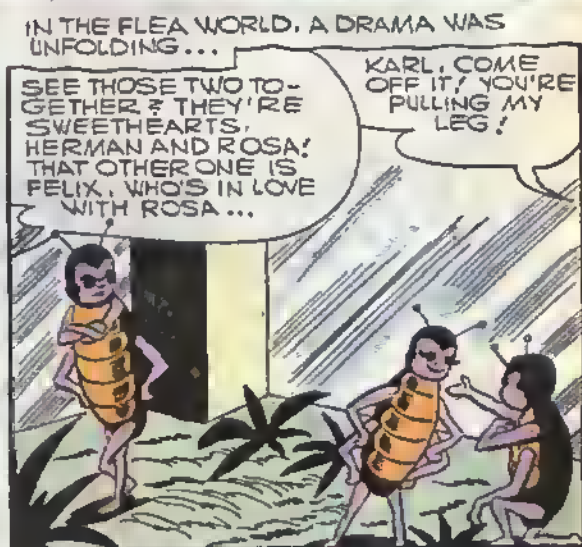


I TELL YOU THEY HAVE LIVES OF THEIR OWN: EMOTIONS, JEALOUSIES, AMBITIONS! LOOK CLOSELY!

YOU'RE MAD, KARL! THEY'RE INSECTS... THEY KNOW NOTHING AND WANT NOTHING!



IS THAT SO? WELL, SEE WHAT'S HAPPENING RIGHT NOW!



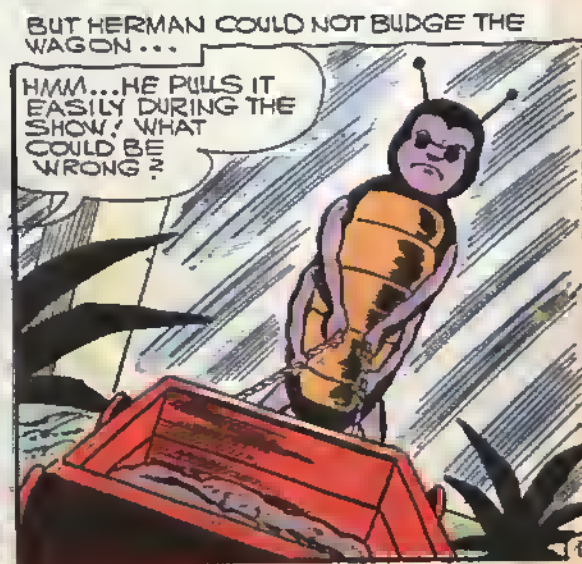
IN THE FLEA WORLD, A DRAMA WAS UNFOLDING...

SEE THOSE TWO TOGETHER? THEY'RE SWEETHEARTS, HERMAN AND ROSA! THAT OTHER ONE IS FELIX, WHO'S IN LOVE WITH ROSA...

KARL, COME OFF IT! YOU'RE PULLING MY LEG!



SEE? HERMAN IS TRYING TO IMPRESS ROSA BY PULLING THE WAGON!



BUT HERMAN COULD NOT BUDGE THE WAGON...

HMM...HE PULLS IT EASILY DURING THE SHOW! WHAT COULD BE WRONG?

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ROSA WONDERED, TOO...

SEE, ROSA HAS SENSE ENOUGH TO LOOK INTO THE WAGON! WHY, IT'S LOADED WITH SAND!

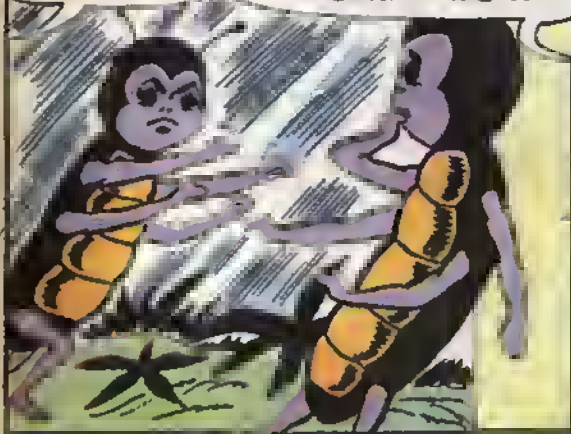


JUST LIKE A FEMALE ROSA'S NOT IMPRESSED MERELY BY MUSCLE! JUST WATCH--SOON IT WILL OCCUR TO HER THAT FELIX PURPOSELY OVERLOADED THE WAGON!



THERE...COULD A FEMALE BE MORE LOYAL THAN THAT?

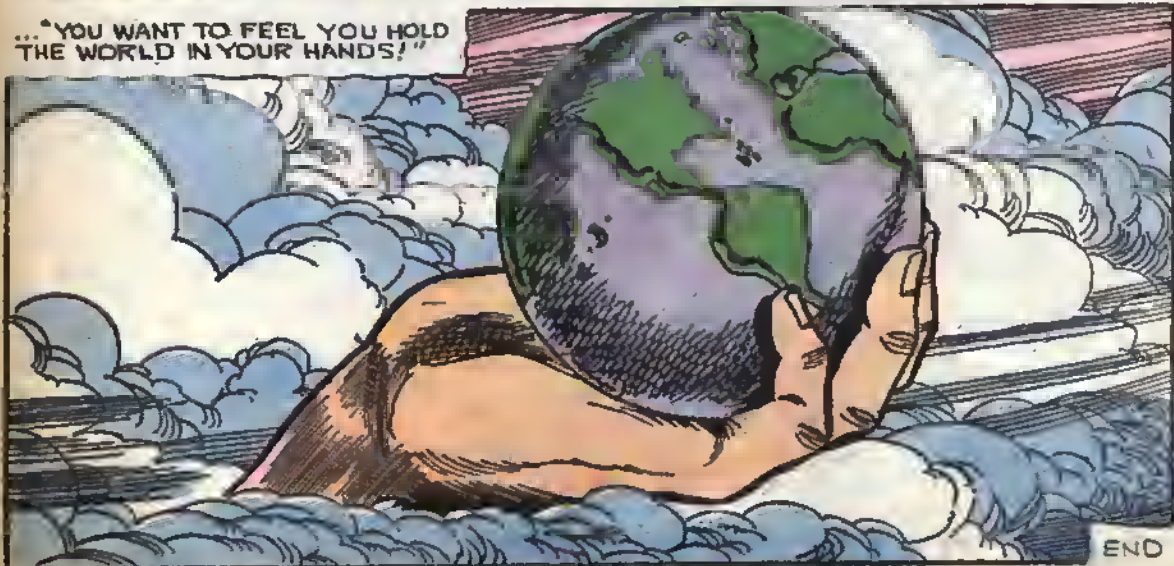
SO WHAT, KARL? SO IT PLEASES YOU TO GIVE THESE FLEAS HUMAN FEELING AND PERSONALITIES...



DOES THAT MEAN THE FLEAS ARE AWARE OF YOU... THAT THEIR LIVES HAVE PURPOSE? OF COURSE NOT! THEIR TINY LIVES HAVE NO CONSCIOUS PURPOSE AT ALL! YOU ONLY MAKE BELIEVE THAT THEY DO BECAUSE...



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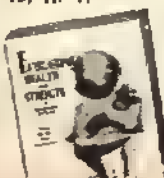
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